

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT***SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**ENTERED**

October 05, 2023

Nathan Ochsner, Clerk

Robert Sosa III,
Plaintiff,§
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Civil Action 23-2462

Houston Independent School District,
Defendant.**RULE 16 SCHEDULING ORDER**

The following schedule shall be followed. All communications concerning the case shall be directed in writing to Ellen Alexander, Case Manager for United States District Judge David Hittner, P.O. Box 61010, Houston, TX 77208.

1. October 31, 2023 NEW PARTIES shall be joined, with leave of court, by this date. The attorney causing such joinder shall provide copies of this ORDER to the new parties.
- 2A. November 30, 2023 PLAINTIFF shall designate EXPERT WITNESSES. Designation shall be in writing to opponent. Expert reports shall be served within 60 days of the designation.
- B. December 29, 2023 DEFENDANT shall designate EXPERT WITNESSES. Designation shall be in writing to opponent. Expert reports shall be served within 60 days of the designation.
3. October 31, 2023 AMENDMENTS to pleadings, **with** leave of court, shall be made by this date.
4. March 29, 2024 DISCOVERY shall be completed by this date.
5. April 30, 2024 MOTION CUT OFF. No motion, including motions to exclude or limit expert testimony under Fed. R. Evid. 702, shall be filed after this date except for good cause shown. See LR 7.
6. August 30, 2024 The JOINT PRETRIAL ORDER shall be filed on or before this date notwithstanding that a motion for continuance may be pending. Parties shall exchange all trial exhibits on or before this date notwithstanding that a motion for continuance may be pending. NO LATE EXCHANGES OF EXHIBITS WILL BE PERMITTED. All motions in limine shall be submitted with the pretrial order. Failure to file timely a joint pretrial order, motions in limine, or exchange all trial exhibits may result in this case being dismissed or other sanctions imposed, in accordance with all applicable rules.
7. September/October 2024 TRIAL TERM. Cases will be set for trial at a docket call, conducted prior to the trial term or by order of the Court. Your position on the docket will be announced at that time.

Jury/~~Non Jury~~ ETT: 4 days**All documents filed must be 14 point font, double spaced with not less than one inch margins.**SIGNED on September 28, 2023

 PETER BRAY
 United States Magistrate Judge